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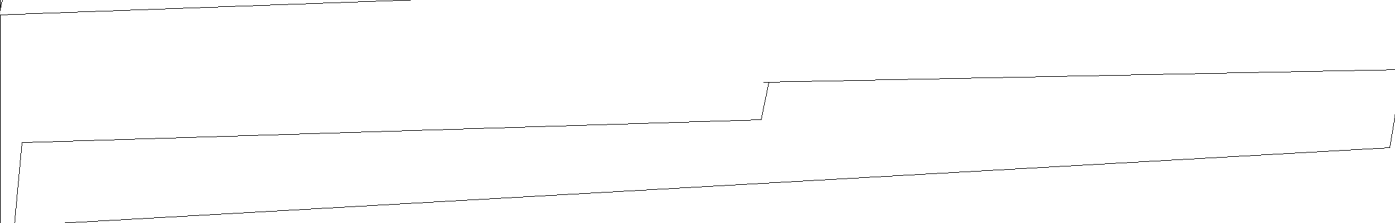

Deputy Executive Secretary, NFIB

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SUBJECT:

Minutes of the One Hundred and forty-third NFIB
Meeting, 6 March 1984, 1500-1615 HoursSummary of Decisions

The Director of Central Intelligence (DCI), with the concurrence of
the National Foreign Intelligence Board (NFIB) principals, approved 

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Following up on Mr. Gates' comment regarding a better highlighting of most important information for senior-level readers, Mr. Hugh Montgomery, Director, State/INR, said that he would welcome a more digestible product. In response, Mr. Gershwin noted that, in the final publication of the current estimate, the Key Judgments Section will be reduced to about ten (10) printed pages.

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Mr. Charles Boykin, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Intelligence, DOE, expressed appreciation for greater participation by his Department in the current estimate than in previous editions in the NIE 11-3/8 series.

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The DCI concluded discussion by approving the estimate subject to changes discussed during the meeting.

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The DCI adjourned the meeting at 1615 hours.

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Those Participating

Mr. William J. Casey, Chairman
 Mr. Robert M. Gates, Deputy Director of Intelligence, Central Intelligence Agency
 Mr. Hugh Montgomery, Director of Intelligence and Research, Department of State
 [] Acting for Director, Defense Intelligence Agency
 Lieutenant General Lincoln D. Faurer, U.S. Air Force, Director, National Security Agency 25X1
 Mr. Arthur Long, Acting for Special Assistant to the Secretary (National Security, Department of the Treasury
 Mr. Charles V. Boykin, Assistant Secretary for Intelligence, Department of Energy
 Mr. Edward C. Aldridge, Jr., Under Secretary of the Air Force
 Mr. Philip A. Parker, Acting for Assistant Director, Intelligence Division, Federal Bureau of Investigation
 Dr. Robert G. Priddy, Acting for Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence, Department of the Army
 Rear Admiral John L. Butts, U.S. Navy, Director of Naval Intelligence, Department of the Navy
 Brigadier General Paul H. Martin, U.S. Air Force, Acting Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence, Department of the Air Force
 Mr. John J. Guenther, Acting for Director of Intelligence, U.S. Marine Corps

Those Attending

[] Director, Intelligence 25X1
 Community Staff
 Miss Eloise R. Page, Deputy Director, Intelligence Community Staff
 Dr. Harold Ford, Acting Vice Chairman, National Intelligence Council
 Dr. Lawrence K. Gershwin, NIO for Strategic Programs
 [] CIA/OSWR 25X1
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 Mr. John Horton, NIO for Latin America
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